Sutherland-Roquemore's Company With Hawaiian Bill--Also Wallace Reed in "The Lottery Man"--a Big Feature Day at the Liberty

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WAGE INCREASES MAY BE GRANTED

TWO MILLION MEN MUST HAVE MORE MONEY, SAYS EXECUTIVES MANAGER; WILL END STRIFE.

By the Associated Press

CHICAGO, May 17. — Wage advances should be granted to many railroad workers to enable them to meet the high cost of living, the association of railroad executives declared today in their opening statement before the railroad labor board. E. T. Whittier, chairman of the conference committee of rail managers of the executive association, told the board that some of the wage demands being made by 2,000,000 railway employes probably would be found to be justified by the rise in the cost of living.

Agreement of the railroads themselves that at least part of the men should have more money is expected to go far toward expediting early settlement of the controversy which culminated last month in the series of strikes by disgruntled employes.

Demands now before the board aggregate that more than $1,000,000,000 a year in addition to $1,000,000,000 advance during the war and a $300,000,000 advance in the two years prior to government control, according to Mr. Whittier.

Impressive Service For Graduating Class At East Central State

One of the most deeply religioius and solemn services ever held in Ada was the baccalaureate program rendered at East Central Normal school yesterday morning.

The graduating class this year is one of the largest ever turned out by the institution and their friends gathered by the hundreds to hear the sermon delivered to these young people as they leave their alma mater and enter upon the stern duties of life.

The exercises yesterday were marked with a number of special features in addition to the baccalaureate sermon. These included a violin solo, "At the Brook," by Miss Ruth Marquise Hankins; a vocal solo, "The Year's at the Spring," by Miss Clarice Lee Cartwright; an anthem, "Teach Me, O Lord," by the Treble Clef club, and the piano numbers by Miss Willetta Kittell. Each of these numbers was especially uplifting and delightful. The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Dr. N. P. Patterson of Dallas, Texas, one of the most renowned ministers of the Lone Star state.

Dr. Patterson opened his sermon by stating the conditions of the world at the present time. He showed the need for trained leaders in all walks of life, and stated what constituted trained leadership. The minister compared conditions of the present with those of the days of Solomon and urged the young people to follow the example of the wise king and ask for understanding. He explained the necessity for training of the physical, mental and moral qualities of men and urged the class to not use their superior training to get honors and powers for themselves, but to let their light shine in the community for the benefit of all.

Game With Clarita Not Played Sunday Because of Rain

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Clarita did not come to Ada yesterday therefore no game was played. The weather was sufficiently cleared up to play but the improvement came too late for the visitors to get here.

Must Pay Large Sum.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, May 17.—It is understood in official circles here that the Angle-French conference at Hythe, which closed yesterday, decided that the sum which Germany should pay as repatriation would be fixed at 120,000,000,000 marks gold, approximately $30,000,000,000.

PARIS, May 17.—It is also understood that it was decided that Germany would be permitted to issue bonds covering her indebtedness to the allies, payable in annual installments.

Such action, it is pointed out, would enable France to discount a part of her claims on Germany and permit her to settle her debt to the United States and to the allies.

A special conference of the allies will be held at Ostend to consider financial questions among the allies, it is stated. This meeting will be independent of the league of nations conference at Brussels. The dates of these conferences remain to be fixed.

CHUM OF WALTON ADMITS ROBBERY

SAID HE KNEW BEFOREHAND OF ROBBER'S PLAN; SANTA FE TRAIN ALSO ROBBED.

By the Associated Press

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 17.—In a signed confession today "Dick" Smythe, the chum of Horace Walton, who was killed in Chicago last Saturday morning following the robbey of a mail car on the Illinois Central, said he knew beforehand of Walton's plans of the robbery, federal officials announced today.

Smythe, according to the alleged confession, also said that Walton had told him some time ago that he (Walton) had committed the robbery of Santa Fe train No. 6 at Lexington Junction, Mo., April 8th last, when a considerable sum of money and liberty bonds were taken.

Orville Snead Takes The Management of McThwaite Company

The MacThwaiite Oil & Gas Co. announces that Mr. Orville Snead, for twenty years a resident of this city, has been employed as local manager of the plant and business at this place.

Orville Snead needs no introduction to the people of Ada, as he has been here from the time the town started in a cotton patch twenty years ago, being first connected with the old Ada National bank, later the First National, and from time to time with other leading business institutions of the state.

In this respect, however, the MacThwaite company is to be congratulated: Mr. Snead is a man known to practically every citizen of the city; his business ability and integrity will never be questioned; all of which will make the dealings of the MacTwhaite company with the Ada public more pleasant and profitable than they could possibly be if handled by a man from afar off, who would not be acquainted with the customs and characteristics of the Oklahoma people.

This company is one of our public service corporations that is doing its utmost to render value received for the money collected from the public, and the appointment of Mr. Snead as local manager will go a long way in helping them to realize their ideal.

Pace Is Appointed Co. Commissioner By Gov. Robertson

J. D. Pace of Stonewall has been appointed county commissioner of the Stonewall district to succeed H. F. Bibb, according to announcement from the state capitol. It is said that the appointment was made Saturday.

The vacancy in the southern district has existed about ten weeks, being caused by the resignation of Commissioner Bibb when he moved out of the county. There have been numerous applications and considerable work done by friends of the various aspirants. The governor probably had a hard time making a choice from among the men suggested for the appointment.

Mr. Pace is a substantial farmer living near Stonewall and is well qualified for the position to which he has just been appointed. He has the confidence and good will of his constituents and will begin work at once to look after the interests of his district and county. His appointment is considered an admirable one by those who knew Mr. Pace best.

SON-IN-LAW OF CARRANZA ESCAPES

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, May 17.—General Aguilar, governor of the state of Vera Cruz, and son-in-law of President Carranza, who has been virtually a prisoner of revolutionary forces for the past week, escaped last night. It is believed he is trying to join Carranza, who fled into the mountains Friday and who so far as is known, has not yet been located. General Aguilar has with him about 300 of his followers.

Pursuit of Carranza is being vigorously pushed by General Franchez and leaders of the revolutionary forces, which fought a grim battle with Carranza's army last week. They have a superior force of cavalry and are searching the mountains for trace of the fugitive president.

C. F. Bond has returned from a trip to points in Texas. Mr. Bond is with the Riley Hank Supply company and is opening new territory for this corporation.

IT'S A GREAT LIFE IF YOU DON'T WEAKEN

FRENCH TROOPS ARE LEAVING GERMAN CITIES

By the Associated Press

MAYENCE, May 17.—The French troops which have been occupying Frankfort, Darnstead and other cities on the east bank of the Rhine, evacuated those cities this morning, it is announced here.

The Germans were informed of the departure of the occupying forces through a laconic proclamation posted in the various cities, which read: "The French keep their word." The evacuation proceeded in an orderly way and amid entire quiet.

Missing Man May Be Located in This Section of the State

Elliott Bourquin of Savannah, Ga., writes to the Evening News inquiring about his brother, Polignac Bourqin, from whom he has heard nothing in fifteen years. He states that the last information he had concerning his brother was that he was somewhere in this section of Oklahoma. If any reader of the News knows anything concerning Polignac Bourquin, please drop a note to Elliott Bourquin 1008 East 30th street, Savannah, Georgia.

Allen School Had Fine Exercise at Close Of Term

The public and high schools of Allen closed one of the most successful terms in their history last Friday night. Appropriate exercises were held and addresses were made by two Ada teachers, Prof. Rolla G. Sears of the Normal and Co. Superintendent A. Floyd. Mr. Floyd says the salutatory address by Miss Odeal Lock and the valedictory address by Miss Willie Jones Beauchamp were two of the best he had ever heard.

Following is the program of the Allen High school as given Friday night:

Invocation .Reverend T. O. Shanks
Song ..... America
Salutatory ..... Odeal Lock
Song, "Boosting the Old High" (Englelinger) ..... Class
Valedictory Willie Jones Beauchamp
Song, "Commence Day" (Czbulkaparks ..... Class
Class Address ..... R. G. Sears
Pres. East Central State Normal School, Ada, Okla.
Presentation of Diplomas A. Floyd Superintendent of Schools, Pontotoc County.
Song "Graduates Farewell" (Ma ..... Class

RAILROADS APPEAL TO GOVERNMENT

ASK INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION TO GIVE RELIEF. THOUSANDS OF CARS TIED UP

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The nations railroads, swamped with business and not yet on their feet after the long period of federal control, turned hopefully to the government today for relief. With reports from industrial centers showing several hundred thousand cars held up at junctions and in tarnsit because at junctions and in transit because the interstate commerce commission, clothed with broad power under the new railway law was expected to heed the appeal of the carriers and take charge of a situation admittedly grave.

Although efforts have been made in the last week to clear the tangle of freight, railroad officials said there was slight hope of early improvement. The great need at the moment is to clear the track of nonessential shipments and open the way for the free movement for the necessities of life.

So great is the traffic congestion, according to reports and complaints from many quarters that there is immediate danger of wholesale closing of big industrial plants and the consequent cut in production.

Ada Playhouses

American.

William Fox presents Theda Bara tonight only in the gorgeous, gigantic wonder play, "Cleopatra." The love story in the Nile in the most spectacular settings the new world has ever known. Also showing Sunshine comedy, "Shadows of Her Pest." Fox News No. 43, mightiest of them all. Coming Tuesday, Charlie Chaplin, in "The Pawnshop." Za Su Pitts in "The Other Half."

Liberty.

Sutherland - Roquemore Musical Comedy company opens for a week's engagement. Hawaiian Bill, Corinne Atkins and other artists, including a bevy of pretty girls. Picture program offers a Paramount-Artcraft production, "The Lottery Man,' featuring Wallace Reid. He raffled himself off as the first prize in a marriage lottery. Three hundred thousand women, all colors, ages and sizes, buy dollar chances on the handsome hero. Special pictures matinee and night.

BOLSHEVIK FORCES ARE STRIKING BACK

By the Associated Press

LONDON, May 17.—Russian Bolshevik forces are striking back at the Polish and Ukrainian troops, which captured Kiev about 10 days ago, according to an official statement issued in Moscow yesterday and received here by wireless. The statement said Soviet troops had started an advance and were engaged about ten miles northeast of Kiev.

Wife Cut Husband's Throat, Causing Him To Seek A Divorce

That his wife cut his throat with a razor and otherwise treated him in a painfully cruel manner is the chief allegation in the petition of John Mayo who filed suit for divorce in district court Saturday. He makes the supplemental statement that it required four stitches to mend his neck where it had been slashed.

Plaintiff states that he married defendant at Paris Texas, October 28, 1916, and that they lived together as man and wife until July, 1918, when defendant got up and left plaintiff, who has reason to believe that she left to join one Robert Ward. He makes other very ugly allegations and asks for a divorce. He is represented by E. S. Ratliff.

Husband Wasted Wife's Property Is Her Allegation

Suit for diorce has been filed in district court by Marye Harrison Collins against Floyd Collins. She is represented by Wimbish & Duncan.

Plaintiff alleges in her petition that she was married to defendant in Pontotoc county, June 8, 1918, and that she left the defendant about the first of the present month. That at the time of her marriage she had property valued at about $25,000, and that defendant has badly mismanaged this property and has cheated and defrauded plaintiff. That defendant has not supported plaintiff but on the contrary has suported himself from her property. That plaintiff has been very much humiliated by the conduct of defendant and finds life with him unbearable. Wherefore she prays for a divorce, the restoration of her maiden name of Marye Harrison, and the absolute title to all her property.

SENATE CALLS FOR INFORMATION

ASKS FOR INFORMATION FOR PLANS FOR DEFLATION OF CURRENCY AND MANY OTHER MATTERS.

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17—The senate today adopted the McCormick resolution calling on the federal reserve board for information as to its plans for deflation of the currency and consequent reduction of high prices and also for its plan for credit mobilization to cover crop movements this year.

In urging the adoption of the resolution Senator McCormick said the same signs that preceded the panic of 1907 were now manifest and a statement of the board's plans would go far toward offsetting the danger. Financial experts, he added, were now gathering in Washington to discuss these plans with the board.

Suspected Robbers Of Many Stores Captured at Beggs

It is believed that the men who robbed the Shaw Department store at Ada Saturday night, May 8th, have at last been captured. It is also believed that the captured men are the same who robbed the Carroll store at Wetumka on Thursday night, May 6th.

Officers in all parts of Oklahoma have been on the lookout for the robbers since the stores were robbed and word came to Ada yesterday that four negroes had been arrested at Beggs, believed to be the robbers. The negroes were captured by a negro deputy sheriff of Okmulgee county, who became suspicious when he found the men trying to dispose of silks and other finery.

S. M. Shaw of Ada was communicated with and he went with Virgil Hale to Beggs today to examine the goods found in possession of the negroes with a view to identifying them. It is said that the Shaw cost mark was found on the goods captured from the negroes.

The four negroes arrested were brought back to Holdenville yesterday and placed in jail where they await further developments in the case. It is believed these negroes also robbed the Carroll store at Wetumka as some of the goods had the Carroll store mark.

American Legion Will Pull Big Athletic Show

The Norman Howard post of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night at the city hall. After all business has been transacted the post will give an athletic exhibition. It has been arranged to have some of the best performers in this country to be present at this affair and those who attend will be entertained by some very clever men.

Jack Kelly of Sulphur will arrive in the city this afternoon. Kelly needs no introduction as everyone knows he is a boxer of note. He states that he is feeling fine and is anxious to show more new "stuff."

"Sailor Lewis" will be present at the meeting and is to give an exhibition of the art of "self defense." He is a boy who formerly wore the dress blues and is noted for his varied experiences during the World War.

If you are an ex-soldier and like good, clean sport, be sure to attend this meeting.

ALIENS NOT PERMITTED TO OWN ENGLISH OIL

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Great Britain's policy with deference to world peroleum supplies is reported to be to exclude aliens from the control of petroleum supplies within the Empire and to endeavor to obtain some measure of control over oil property in foreign countries, the senate was informed today in a state department report transmitted by President Wilson.

The report was furnished in a response to a resolution by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, asking what disabilities were being imposed upon American exportation of world oil resources by other countries.

Court Fails to Agree

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The supreme court failed again today to decide the validity of the prohibition and the enforcement act and recessed until June 1st.

DANIELS HURLS BROADSIDE AT SIMS

SAYS ADMIRAL SIMS HOPED TO "PRUSSIANIZE" DEPARTMENT AND MAKE SECRETARY "RUBBER STAMP."

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Secretary Daniels today let go a verbal broadsidt against the advocates of a general staff for the navy, declaring that they thought to "Prussianize" the navy department and make the civilian secretary a "rubber stamp." He told the senate committee investigating the navy's conduct of the war, that "one of Rear Admiral Sims' chief objects in writing his letter of January 7th and bringing about this investigation was to curtail the powers of the secretary and remove the navy so far as possible from civilian control."

"Running like a thread through most of the evidence that has been given before the committee, has been advocacy of the general staff for the conduct of the American navy and elimination of civilian control," said Mr. Daniels. "Some of the officers have frankly avowed their advocacy of Prussianizing the navy.

"If congress wished to depart from the traditional American policy of civilian control of the navy, it should do so directly and clearly and without pretense," said Mr. Daniels, "by making a nadmiral secretary of the navy and a member of the president's cabinet. The most ardent advocate of the general staff system had not advocated going so far, because they wished to keep a 'rubber stamp' civilian as a figurehead in the secretarys' office," he declared.

FAMOUS DIVINE WAS VISITING HERE SUNDAY

Dr. N. P. Patterson, the minister who delivered the baccalaureate sermon to East Central graduates yesterday, is one of the most famous divines in the country.

Dr. Patterson is a young man in years, but old in experience with men and affairs. He is a graduate of Trinity University of Texas, at one tme being a pupil of President J. M. Gordon of East Central, who was then profesor of Latin at Trinity. Last year the degree of D. D. was conferred on Dr. Patterson by Trinity. He is also a graduate of the McCormick Theological Seminary of Chicago.

Dr. Patterson was for a long time pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Austin, Texas. At the present time his home is in Dallas, where he is serving as financial director of the Interchurch World Movement for Texas. He is also secretary and treasurer of the movement for Oklahoma and Texas. Dr. Patterson has been signally honored by the Masonic fraternity of Texas, holding at the present time the office of Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery of the Lone Star state.

Caps and Gowns Here.

The caps and gowns for the graduating class of East Central will be here for the exercises next Friday unless something unforeseen takes place.

As a result of the efforts of the local express men the first shipment of the clothing arrived in Ada last night. It was marked to come in three packages and two of the packages arrived in the first shipment. The third is expected to arrive today.

Later—The other package of the shipment of caps and gowns arrived in the city today and will be worn by the graduates in the exercises Friday.

PRESIDENT GORDON CAME FOUR YEARS AGO TODAY

It was four years ago today—May 17—when President J. M. Gordon took charge of affairs at East General Normal school. The four years Mr. Gordon has served the Normal have been trying ones but they have been successful years, especially when the conditions under which the school labored are taken into consideration.

Penny Matching Is Charged Against Lads From Colbert

Several lads from Colbert community were in the local courts this morning to answer charges of gambling filed against them. It seems from the various hearings had that the boys had been spending a considerable part of their leisure time in matching pennies, which caused their arrest for gambling. The juveniles were warmly censured by the juvenile judge and promised to sin no more. One of the boys happened to be over sixteen years old, and was arraigned before Judge Anderson. On his paying the costs of the action he was discharged.

ACTRESS, THOUGHT TO BE MILLIONAIRESS THROUGH HUSBAND'S DEATH, GETS $3,538

Mrs. Oscar Lewisohn (Edna May)

Mrs. Oscar Lewisohn, known to the stage as Edna May, will receive only $3,538 from the estate of her late husband, who was thought to have left a fortune of close to $6,000,000 when he died on December 3, 191 Debts for board and training of Mr. Lewisohn's race horses are said to have wiped out the large part of the fortune.

News Notes From Movieland

News has just reached my desk that Edna Olga Purviance former leading woman for Charlie Chaplin was seriously hurt in an automobile accident in Los Angeles. Attending physicians say her injuries are such that her screen career may be ended.

Miss Purviance was discovered by Chaplin when she was taking part in amateur theatricals. She was his leading woman with Essanay and with the Lone-Star-Mutual. Some of the pictures where Chaplin fans may remember her work are "The Bank", "Easy Street," "The Rink," "The Immigrant" and "The Adventurer." Miss purviance is an expert horsewoman and driver. She is a blond, blue-eyed miss and her present home is in Los Angeles, although she was born in Lovelock, Nevada

Gossipy Bits

Five thousand extras are used in one scene of Tom Moore's "The Great Accident."

Buddy McQuoid ten years old, who was chosen to appear in a Jack Pickford photoplay because of his resemblance to Jack, proudly refers to the picture as "Jack's and Mine."

Theda Bara announces she is to head her own company this summer. in the fall, Miss Bara is to go on the stage again in a tour with "The Blue Flame."

Tsuri Aoki Sails

Tsuri Aoki is in the high seas of the Pacific bound for her native home—Japan. She will be gone probably three or four months.

Bushman Scores Hit.

So well did Ralph Bushman, son of Francis X., screen in the comedies he made at the Christie studio that he has been assigned by Goldwyn to the part of Big Graham in Mary Robert Rhinehart's story of "Empire Builders," which is being directed by E. Mason Hopper. Cullen Landis and Molly Malone have the two leading roles and other members of the cast are Otto Hoffman, Howard Ralston, Tom Perrse and John Lynch.

Edna Olga Purviance.

Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out.

Betty Bouton, who has played leading roles with many of the best known screen favorites, announced her marriage last week. Betty married Arthur Jackson some six weeks ago and kept it a secret. Mr. Jackson is now in New York and his wife plans on going to Manhattan about May.

Skirts Are Going Down; Length, Not Price Is Falling

Oh, men, skirts are going down this fall—but not in price.

They've reached a precarious height—the skirts. The knee length may continue to be popular in Paris but it apparently has no friends in Ada, nor in this country for that matter.

The declaration of modistes and dealers here Saturday anent the shorter length of garments and the stability of price was echoed later yesterday by the members of the National Cloak and Suit Manufacturers' association in session in New York.

"Styles for fall and winter call for conservative models and slender designs," said M. Brinz, chairman of the styles committee, in a dispatch from the east.

"Quite right," affirmed J. B. Emory of the Surprise Store here. "Fall will bring longer skirts! Anyway, Ada women have never gone in for the short skirts of Paris. When they were wearing them two inches below the knees we, er-n-n, I mean the women here, wore them several inches longer."

"Skirts are going down in length if not in price," added Mrs. C. D. Price of the Burk store. "As it is Ada women wear their skirts ten and eleven inches from the ground, while they are thirteen and fifteen even in New York."

And here, ladies, we find the longest ones.

"We are making skirts about eight inches from the ground," declared Mrs. Jacob Pelter of Pelter's Fashion Shop. "They are going to fall still further this autumn."

Ho, hum.

CONCRETE SHIP IN HONOR OF BUTT BEING BUILT

By the Associated Press

NEW BERN, N. C., May 17.—Named in memory of Major Archibald W. Butt, the young Georgia officer who was aide to Persidents Roosevelt and Taft and who lost his life in the Titanic disaster, the concrete passenger-carrying steamer Major Archibald Butt is being put in shape here for service in the transportation division of the war department. The vessel was launched recently at the Newport Shipbuilding Corporation's plant here and was christened with champagne by Mrs. T. F. Hines, wife of Brigadier General Hines.

MANY STATES TO ELECT GOVERNORS

SALARIES OF GOVERNORS ARE POOR; NEBRASKA LOWEST PAID; MASSACHUSETTS ELECTS ANNUALLY.

By News' Special Service

CHICAGO, May 17.—Thirty-five states will elect governors next fall at the time when the president and vice president are chosen. Thirty-two United States senators, to take office March 4, 1921, also are to be selected.

Of the governors whose terms expire next year twenty-two are republicans and thirteen democrats, while 17 of the 32 senators are democrats and fifteen republicans.

The 35 governorships to be filled offer a wide range, both in terms and salaries. Among the state executives whose terms expire are F. O. Lodwen of Illinois, the highest paid governor in the country, and S. R. McKelvie of Nebraska, the poorest paid. Mr. Lowden receives $12,000 yearly for a four year term and Mr. McKelvie $2,500 annually for two years. Only twelve of the 35 will reecive over $5,000 a year, and five will be paid $3,000 or less.

Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts, whose position carries a $10,000 salary, is the only governor in the country elected for one year. All other states have either two or four year terms.

Territorial governors are better paid than the average state executive and two of the four are appointed for indefinite terms, with tht result that they remain in office as long, as a rule, as the president who named them.

Francis Burton Harison, governor-general of the Philippines, tops the list of territorial executives with an indefinite term and a $20,000 yearly salary. Arthur Yager, governor of Porto Rico, receives $10,000 and is appointed for an indefinite term. Gov. Thomas Riggs, Jr., of Alaska, and C. J. McCarthy of Hawaiia each received annual salaries of $7,000 during their four year terms.

The states which will elect governors this year, with the incumbent, his politics, salary and term of office are:

Arizona, T. E. Campbell, republican; $6,500; 2 years.

Arkansas C. H. Brough, democrat, $4,000; 2 years.

Colorado, O. H. Shoup, republican, $5,000; 2 years.

Connecticutt, M. H. Holcomb, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Delaware, J. G. Townsend, republican; $4,000; 4 years.

Florida, S. J. Catts, democrat; $6,000; 4 years.

Georgia, H. M. Dorsey, democrat; $5,000; 2 years.

Idaho, D. W. Davis, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Illinois, F. O. Lowden, republican; $12,000; 4 years.

Indiana, J. P. Goodrich, republican; $8,000; 4 years.

Iowa, W. L. Harding, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Kansas, H. J. Allen; republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Maine, C. E. Milliken, republican; $5,000, 2 years.

Massachusetts, C. Colidge, republican; $10,000; 1 year.

Michigan, A. E. Sleeper, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Minnesota, J. A. A. Burnquist; republican; $7,000; 2 years.

Missouri, F. D. Gardner, democrat; $5,000; 4 years.

Montana, S. V. Stewart, democrat; $7,500; 4 years.

Nebraska, S. R. McKelvie, republican; $2,500, 2 years.

New Hampshire, J. H. Bartlett, republican; $3,000; 2 years.

New Mexico, O. O. Larrazola, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

New York, A. E. Smith, democrat; $10,000; 2 years.

North Carolina, T. W. Bickett, democrat; $6,500; 4 years.

North Dakota, L. J. Frazier, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Ohio, J. M. Cox, democrat; $10,000; 2 years.

Rhode Island, R. L. Beekman, republican; $8,000; 2 years.

South Carolina, R. A. Cooper, democrat; $3,000; 2 years.

South Dakota, Peter Norbeck, republican; $3,000 2 years.

Tennessee, A. H. Roberts, democrat; $4,000; 2 years.

Texas, W. P. Hobby, democrat; $4,000; 2 years.

Utah, S. Bamberger, democrat; $6,000; 4 years.

Vermont, P. W. Clement, republican; $3,000; 2 years.

Washington, L. F. Hart, republican; $6,000; 4 years.

West Virginia, J. J. Cornwell, democrat; $5,000; 4 years.

Wisconsin, E. J. Phillips, republican; $5,000; 2 years.

Revival Opens.

The revival at the Oak Avenue Baptist church began yesterday.

Rev. Sparks arrived and preached at the evening hour, taking for his text Eph. 2:1. He brought out some great truths to the Christians and the unsaved alike in his brief discourse. Most of the evening was taken up in getting acquainted and outlining of the series.

Bro. Sparks took time to tell where he stood on certain points as a Christian and a preacher and we suggest if you want to hear some real preaching don't fail to hear him.

There were six additions to the church at the evening service yesterday, three by letter and three by baptism.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Come praying for a great revival.

RIOTOUS COLORS FORM DESIGN ON BEIGE CHIFFON

By ELOISE

Printed chiffon is again the popular fabric for afternoon frocks. It is being used to make separate blouses and hats as well. Often it is used in combination with plain colors of chiffon or silk. Flowered designs, futurist designs and orient al one are the most popular and there seems to be a division of popuarity between pale colors and brilliant oriental ones

Here is a very pretty frock for afternoon and semi-dress occasions made of biege colored chifon with an oriental design in riotous colors. The chiffon is draped over navy blue taffeta and the colors are tastefully toned down by a two-toned ribbon girdle. A fold of the blue taffeta outlines the quaint little round neck and the sleeves and tunic edge are finished with looped strands of colored beads.

Note the novel sunshade also made of figured chiffon. It is one of the unique models with only four ribs and the handle extends along one rib, giving more roo or the hat or head of milady. These new parasols will be popular on the summer beaches and at the country cubs.

PHILIPPINE LEADER STILL STRONG FACTOR

By the Associated Press

MANLIA, P. I., May 17.—General Emilio Aguinaldo, who fought for the independence of the Philippines and was captured by General Funston, still holds a strong place in the affection of the Filipino people. This was demonstrated when he left the hospital the other day to pay a visit to his farm at Kawit, about 50 miles from Manila.

Aguinaldo has been in the hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis, but was permitted to go to his home to celebrate his 51st birthday.

Accompanied by his physician and a nurse, he made the 50-mile trip by automobile. Although the visit was not announced in advance, the news of his coming spread and the people of the villages along the way gathered at the roadside and the children threw flowers into his automobile. At one village the children waved American and Lilipino flags and sang "Aguinaldo's March." At his home he was met by nearly all the villagers headed by a band and speakers gave him welcome. After spending a night at the farm he returned to the hospital.

Aguinaldo seems assured against want. Besides the pension of $6,000 granted to him by the legislature, he owns about 2,500 acres of Friar lands in Cavite province which he bought from the government, of which 300 acres are planted in rice and sugar cane, owns nearly 1,000 acres in the foothills of Cavite, where he grows hemp; is vice president of two large vegetable oil concerns and has a handsome residence in Manila.

When he was captured by General Funston in 1901 after leading his campaign for independence, he gave his promise to the Americans that he would not again take up arms and he has kept that promise. He declares, however, that, in his opinion, the time for granting independence to the Philppines has arrived, and that the people of the islands are ready to maintain a stable government.

That the physical training teacher should devote a part of every physical training period to instruction in personal hygiene is the recommendation of F. W. Maroney, State director of physical training for New Jersey. Dr. Maroney asserts that the physical training teacher himself should be the personification of health, since his work "helps accentuate all other health activities."

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McGUIRE ASKS FOR DIVORCE DENYING CHARGES OF WIFE

TULSA, Okla., May 17.—More volleys were fired in the legal battle of the McGuires yesterday when Bird S. McGuire, Tulsa lawyer, former congressman and well known republican state leader, filed a bill for divorce from Ruby Ridgway McGuire.

The new bill came close on the heels of a suit filed by Mrs. Mc Guire asking for a division of property and alimony and charging the ex-congressman with unfaithfulness. Subsequently an order giving Mrs. McGuire $125 a month alimony was issued by the court but division of the property was not commanded.

In his bill Mr. McGuire declares that he had a hard row to hoe.

"Once, while we were on a steamboat in the St. Lawrence river, she locked me in my stateroom for four hours because I spoke to a school teacher," he says. "And she assaulted me with her fists and threatened me with a gun, too."

Vigorous denial is made of Mrs. McGuire's allegations that the republican leader spent considerable money in the entertainment of other women.

"The defendant denies, as the plaintiff alieges, that he has been guilty of going riding with them (other women) during her absence from Tulsa," he says in the bill, and adds that no hair pins or ribbons belonging to any woman had ever been found in his apartments.

"Mrs. McGuire possesses a most violent and ungovernable temper," he asserts. "With her it is a fuss or a frolic continually. She frequently called my friends 'common people' and the like".

He says that Mrs. McGuire "hated Tulsa and Oklahoma people."

Mrs. McGuire was the cause of his failure to seek reelection to congress in 1912, he says.

"The malevolence she developed toward mankind in general and me in particular became so embarrassing to me that, coupled with the harsh, abusive and unwarranted treatment towords me, caused me to refuse to run," he declares.

The former representative seeks divorce on the grounds of desertion. He declares that he always paid her bills. At one junction he tells of how the two built two homes in Tulsa, one in Maple Ridge and the other in the Country Club addition. He admits that he sold the first house at a profit of $12,000. Mrs. McGuire charged in her bill that the profit on this sale was $15,000.

"CLEOPATRA" SAID TO BE MARVELOUS FILM

Ten thousand persons figure in the gigantic spectacle "Cleopatra," which William Fox presents at the American Theatre today. It is said to surpass anything ever screened from the point of view of sheer magnificence in effect. Neither money nor effort was spared, according to representatives of the Fox Film Corporation, to make this production a record-breaker.

Two thousand artisans were recruited for the work of constructing the Roman and Egyptian setings, shipbuilders and others.

Three thousand horses were used in the tremendous battle and desert scenes.

Ten seamstresses were constantly at work before and during the production on teh costumes of Theda Bara alone. Miss Bara enacts the role of Cleopatra in a story that gives full play to her siren prowess. She wears fifty distinctively different costumes, each more alluringly bizarre than its predecessor luring the course of the performance.

The staging was under direction of J. Gordon Edwards, who has established a reputation for artistry of the highest order in previous achievements.

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DANISH COUNTESS CREATES FAD FOR HER PORTRAIT STATUETTES

Mrs. Lithgow Osborne.

Mrs. Lithgow Osborne, a Danish countess whose husband is in the United States diplomatic service, has created a fad in Washington society for her portrait statuettes, particularly of children in characteristic attitudes. Mrs. Osborne has studied sculpture in the art centers of Europe, having been with her husband in various capitals. The work she has done in Washington in the last few months is mainly attractive because of the naturalness of pose.

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EVELYN'S SECOND HUSBAND ASKS FREEDOM; "WAS INTENDING TO SUE HIM," SHE SAYS

A new picture of the former wife of Harry Thaw

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw Clifford has been sued in New York for absolute divorce by Jack Clifford, who names Eugene Strong, an actor. "I was about to sue Clifford," said Evelyn when served with a summons. "I intended to name five co-respondents and at the same time endeavor to recover some of my real estate he has in his possession."

ARDMORE PLANS BIG INTERTAINMENT FOR VET

ARDMORE, Okla., May 17.—One important feature in connection with the approaching reunion of the United Confederate Veterans has not received much consideration up to the present time but a movement was started Saturday that will result in perfecting that most important of the program.

The question of entertainment for the old veterans, the sponsors, and maids of honor, has not been seriously considered, but there will be a meeting at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night at which time suitable committees will be appointed and other arrangements perfected to make the visitors' stay in Ardmore a pleasant occasion.

It was intended to have the meeting at Convention Hall, but the American Legion have the hall for that night for a special entertainment of their own, so the Chamber of Commerce donated the use of their rooms instead.

Mrs. A. Wolcott and her able assistants will leave nothing undone to make the old veterans' stay in this city a most pleasant one, the ranks are rapidly thinning, and it is but a question of a few years when they will all have passed away.

While they are still with us, the good women of the south will see to it that their wants are supplied.

Local Politicians Are Gum Shoeing Through Jungles

Considerable "gumshoeing" has been goin on in local political circles during the past week, and all 'the boys' are making preparations for the grand blow off that is to open the campaign soon.

Some high class jockeying for position has been going on and there is a well grounded rumor current that a general revisal of some of the divisions in the announcement column might be looked for within a short time.

Just what this means is not apparent to the naked eye, and as the wise ones are reluctant about giving out information at present, it is but the matter of a guess as to what this all means.

A leak is looked for "pronto" and then the thing will be settled.

A little bird has whispered that at least two more candidates for the state legislature will shy their bonnets in the well known ring within the time limit for candidate filing. In that event there will be a whole lot of excitement in that particular quarrel, as the two most prominently mentioned, but who refuses to allow their names to be used at this time, are some spellbinders when it comes to the great American pastime of politics, and the residents of the rural districts will have an opportunity of listening to words and phrases that they never heard before, and perhaps never will again, in the event these two concluded to get in the game and mix with the two who have already placed their names before the voters of Pontotoc county for this job.

One other candidate will likely announce for county judge and probably two more men will enter this race.

It has also been whispered that a well known lady school teacher of this county has about made up her mind to put her millinery in the above mentioned circle, and conduct a lady-like campaign for the office of county superintendent of public instruction

She is aided and abetted by a host of friends who would rally to her support, and from present indicatons her chances would be on a par with the other candidates in the rucus.

However, she has not fully decided, she may come in the last moment unless she changes her mind, which is a woman's prerogative, so her status at present time cannot be said to be fixed.

No new candidates have announced for any office this week, and the present crop is beginning to hope that they will go their way unmolested to the end of the campaign

One of the very potent reasons that more candidates are not in the field is that salaries attached to the jobs are not near so much as a good ordinary common laborer gets for his efforts with a pick and shovel, and the latter without responsibility of office.

When the state legislature fixed the salaries to be paid county officials and enacted it into law, a dollar went way farther than it does today, and a man could actually purchase a cigar for a nickle.

Now about the only thing a nickle is good for, is to add to two or three more before it will elicit a smile from the cashier in any market place.

For that reason a man with the ability to hold office, in all probability is employed where his salary is much greater than he could hope to get by serving the dear pee-pul therefore he is not taking much interest in politics.

This reason is also keeping many women out of the game.

An office has always been a lure to a woman who is politically inclined, but women as a rule are keen for the main chance, and they can see no chance at all holding down an office at $125 per month, under a heavy bond, with responsibilities that would make a wooden Indian hump shouldered, when they can get that much, and often more if they are capable, in a pleasant office without responsibilities whatever

LARGE NUMBER FINED FOR ABSENCE OF LICENSE

By the Associated Press

OMAHA, Neb., May 17.—Every third person was fined and others were dismissed with a warning, when 45 motorists were convicted in Police Judge Fitzgerald's court of operating without wheel tax licenses. The court announced that on the next "catch," every second person would be fined. Following that every person convicted, he said, will be fined.

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Doctors Now Use Hypnotism In the Shell Shock Cure

Dr. William Brown, late medical officer in the British army and reader in psychology at London University, says shell shock patients can be cured by working off the emotion repressed at the time when the shock occurred.

All such cases show loss of memory of greater or less extent. They may have forgotten everything that has happened since the shell burst, and they will exhibit other losses of function. They may show loss of voice, of power, of walking, of hearing, or of the power of voluntary control.

It will be found that such a person is very easily hypnotized; if it be suggested to him that he will remember the circumstances of his injury he will act again the whole circumstances and in that process his various functions will return.

What has been done? We have brought up the lost memories, and with the memories the lost functions. But we have done more than that; we have given him an outlet for an emotion which was originally experienced by him with so great an intensity that he could not do full justice to it and his mind split in the attempt.

Emotion of Fear.

While under shell fire the conscious personality was trying to suppress the emotion of fear, partly from the sense of duty—duty of a soldier—partly in self-defense—anything to get away from it.

To curing that patient we bring up the repressed experience once more. We encourage him to work off the emotion involved in it.

For example take the case of a gunner patient of mine. He had been suffering for two years from a tremor of the arm, dating from the time he had been blown up at Ypres. I sent him to sleep. Then I suggested he live again at Ypres. He did so and began to shout all sorts of things which showed what had happened at the time.

He was apparently serving the gun and someone else was handing him ammunition. Then I noticed he was moving the handle with his right hand; his hand began to shake violently and soon he was shaking all over. Then suddenly he became absolutely still. I suggested that he remember all that he had just gone through with and that woke him up. He looked at his hand, which was absolutely still, with amazement.

Shaves Himself Again.

His gun had been blown up and the emotion which this experience had excited in him had been bottled up for two years. The next morning he was able to shave himself with an ordinary razor for the first time since his illness.

Another interesting cure was that of a Flying Corps signaler who was blown up by a bomb and found on regaining consciousness that everything appeared twisted at right angles to its ordinary position. The first attempt at hypnotism effected only a partial cure. I was then informed that when he was a child of six he had shown similar symptoms after a fall.

After further hypnotic sleeps he remembered that when he was three years old he had upset some hot coffee down his right arm and had felt a pain in his left side. eH refelt a pain in his left side. He remembered that when he awoke he round.

That was the first experience of dis-orientation he could remember. It occurred to me that the scalding of his arm produced a fainting fit in which he fell to the left and everything twisted to the right. But I effected a complete cure on the man.

More than a thousand men and women of foreign birth were enrolled in the Scranton, Pa., public evening and afternoon schools for non-English speaking men and women during the past year. Twenty-two nationalities were represented in teh citizenship graduating class of 132 persons recently, according to reports received by the U. S. Bureau of Education.

BRISTOW MAN MAY RUN FOR CONGRESS

FRIENDS OF W. L. CHEATHAM IN 4TH DISTRICT SUGGEST HE SEEK CONGRESIONAL NOMINATION.

W. L. Cheatham, Bristow attorney and member of the legislature of Freek county, is looking around the fourth congressional district with an eye on the democratic congressional nomination. Cheatham has made no announcement of his intentions of entering the campaign, but local friends have been looking over the situation, and are inclined to believe that this could be made a Cheatham year in the district.

Congressman McKeown has a well developed opponent in his own county, who seems to be inclined to discredit the work of the congressman. This, coupled with political conditions in other points of the district might develop a situation that would mean the nomination going to some other county. Cheatham, who is fairly well known throughout the district, would make a splendid showing, his friends say, and they have been urging him to enter the race.

Republican candidates are thick. They are springing up all over the district. James Dennis Flynn is again a candidate, while this year he has company in J. H. N. Cobb, another Sapulpa candidate for the republican nomination. Major Harry Gilstrap of Chandler, is another possibility on the republican ticket, and Judge Ralls of Coalgate is also a probability.

The fourth district is democratic by a large majority and it would take considerable party scratching to defeat the democratic nominee. About all the republican nomination would mean, if that is true, would be partial control of the patronage of the district in the event of a republican president being elected.—Bristow Record.

Roff School Notes.

The annual senior class play entitled "The Deacon," will be staged at the Gem theatre for two nights next week, Monday and Thursday.

The play is a 5-act comedy consisting of 14 characters. It plays about 2½ hours. The senior class plays have always been so popular that the directors decided one night would not be sufficient for the theatre building would not hold the crowd.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. C. V. Dunn of Ada on Sunday, May 23rd, at 11 o'clock a. m. Special musical numbers have been arranged. Mr. Dunn is one of the most able speakers in Oklahoma, being a graduate of both Harvard and Yale. Everybody is invited to attend this service.

300 grade pupils will give a May Day festival on the school campus on Monday, May 24th, at 2:15 p. m.

At the same time the 8th grade commencement exercises will be held and diplomas presented.

President J. P. Battenberg of the Alva Normal will deliver the commencement address on Friday night, May 28th. He is the youngest Normal school president in the United States and is not only a speaker and educator, but is also an excellent musician.

The manual training department of R. H. S. will give an exhibit and sale in one of the downtown windows during the last week of the school. All articles will be sold at actual cost of material.

George Washington and Roland Roquemore brought back many honors from the invitation track meet at Okmulgee last Saturday. Roquemore won second place in the mile race. Washington won five first places and a third place, winning the silver loving cup given by the business men of Okmulgee for the best all-round athlete. Following are his onds; 220 yard dash, 23½ seconds, shot put, 42 ft.. 3½ inches; discus 107 ft., 9 inches; broad jump 19 ft., 7 inches; pole vault, 10 ft., 6 inches. Washington is the best high school athlete in Oklahoma. He has been champion athlete in eight meets in the past four years. Coach Davis accompanied the two track men to the meet at Okmulgee.

The alumni association will hold their annual banquet on Saturday night, May 22, in honor of the senior class.

Dorothy Turner, a pupil of the 8th grade, was the lucky contestant in the spelling contest given by Dubinsky's show last week, she having the only correct answer of the long list handed. The prize was a large box of chocolate candy.

INDIAN ON TRIAL FOR KILLING FELLOW PRISONER

By the Associated Press

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., May 17.—John Aday, an Indian 23 years old is on trial today before a special term of the United States district court, charged with killing a fellow prisoner when he was serving a sentence of thirteen years for murder.

Aday, according to his statement to Warden Anderson at the federal penitentiary here, killed Ike R. Watson by crushing his skull with a ball bat, Aug. 12, 1919. Aday says he struck Watson in self defense

Aday had shortly before been sent to the federal penitentiary from McNeil's Island His home is at Tucson, Ariz. Watson, who was 27 years old, was sent to the federal prison from Danville, Ill., to serve a short term for robbing an interstate freight shipment.

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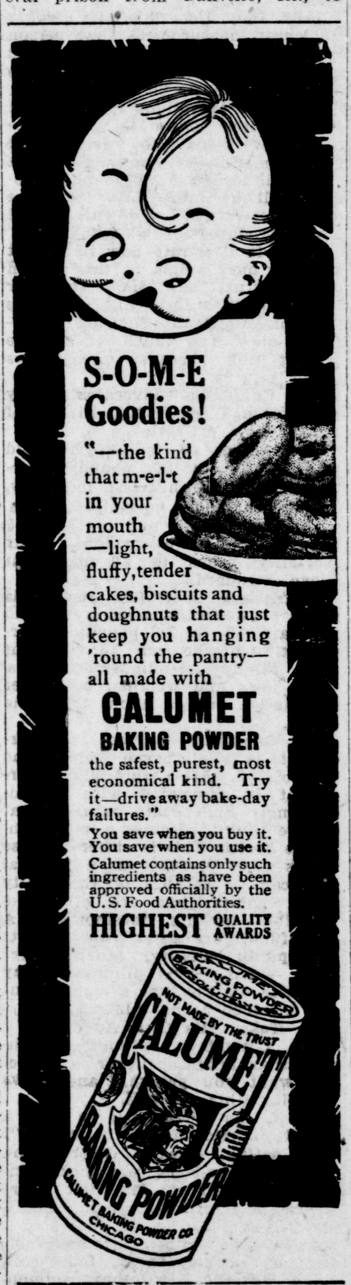

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BAD FOR FAVORITE SONS

The latest announcement of the presidential poll now being taken by the Literary Digest furnishes some figures that are more than ordinarily interesting. Oklahomans who are looking for some signs of a public trend towards the candidacy of Senator Owen are in for a decided disappointment for of the 1,100,000 votes thus far received by the Digest only 2,627 are for the Oklahoma senator. This is only one vote in each 4,187 plus. A candidate receiving only one vote out of 4,187 in a race for county or district office would hardly be considered a formidable candidate.

Even in Oklahoma itself the presidential vote is significant. Just how many Oklahomans are included in the 2,627 cast for Senator Owen is not stated by the Literary Digest, but it is stated that 5,833 Oklahoma Democrats have voted for Bryan, Clark, Cox, Edwards, Marshall, McAdoo, Palmer, and Wilson. Conceding that every vote Owen has received was cast by an Oklahoman, it follows that he is not known as a candidate in any other state. Conceding that his votes are all Oklahoma votes, the figures show that Owen has received less than one third of the Democratic votes in his own state. It is not a good showing.

Ada has now had about fifteen days of tent shows and street carnivals and we dare say the end is not in sight. As shows go these have been like the average—no better no worse. But with all respects to the shows that have visited Ada, we fail to see wherein they have in any way been of any benefit to the city. They have taken considerable money away from Ada. They have left nothing of real value in their wake. They have certainly injured the permanent picture shows of the city, owned and operated by home people, who live in our midst and pay their taxes for the upkeep of city and county. We have no criticism for anyone who attends these street shows. We do not criticise the authorities for permitting them to show here nor do we deny the irght of the authorities to grant such permission. But we do believe that such shows are injurious in various ways and are absolute ly without permanent benefit to the city or the people who make up the city. These shows are now barred from a number of cities of Oklahoma. We believe that we should have a better city if they were barred from Ada.

The Shawnee News breaks into the Chris Columbus class long enough to announce that Luther Harrison was born in Arkansas. Last February Harlow's Weekly announced that we are a native of South Carolina. A year ago the Mill Creek Herald introduced us to the citizens of Johnston county as a native of North Carolina. The essential thing is to have been born at all, the mere place of the occurrence being incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial. Our recollection of our natal venue is somewhat obscured, but we have it on our testimony that we got acquainted with our parents in Mississippi. At any rate that state has a county named Harrison and one of its senators answers to the name of Harrison when the roll is called in the American house of lords. Of course all that is not conclusive evidence, for wherever you find a man named Harrison you will find a man who is mighty prominent in the community. But if it will add to news values, we will admit having been born in every state of the union—except, possibly, the northeast corner of Indiana.

Now it is said at the national capital that it may not be so easy to get a full crew of congressmen to man the ship that will convey a congressional party at national expense to the orient during the coming summer. The country folks got to talking about the big junket and what they have been saying has not been very complimentary to the junketeers. Now a lot of congressmen who have a race to win before they get back in congress have about decided that they don't want to go to China and never did want to go. Since hearing from the boys at the cross roads they have decided that they positively hate everything west of the brine.

The Southern Baptists were eminently right in adopting a resolution in the Washington convention demanding the election of officers who will enforce the national prohibition laws. All laws ought to be enforced, whether they are good laws or bad ones. If they are bad, they should be repealed, but so long as they are on the statute books they ought to be enforced. And it follows as day the night that no one should be charged with the enforcement of the law, who will not attempt to enforce the law.

Maybe the reason that "Hell Roaring Hiram" is so bitter against President Wilson is the knowledge that if Johnson had not double-crossed Hughes in 1916, Wilson would not be president today.

The State Press

Tulsa World: A Fairland eritor who was not any too far out of the path of the recent tornado complains to his readers: "How do you expect to get your paper out on time when we stay up every night for a week looking for a cyclone?"

Oklahoman: Just as a means of placing all records on file, it is mentioned here that the Atchison Daily Globe's topliner says: "Let those who are not profiteers cast the first stone."

Waistline Is Your Life's Barometer Ada Doctor Says

"What is your waist measure?" may sound like a foolish question but it is your life's barometer. Your waistline will tell you more about your life than a palmist can read in the li'eline of your hand. Mortuary books say so; actuaries say so, and it must betrue, for they say it is figured down to the minute, amost to the last second before Old Man Death throws you on the boat for the journey across the River Styx.

"Yon Cassius hath a lean and hungry look."

Yes, but "Yon Cassius" would make a good insurance risk, according to Dr. Isham L. Cummings of Ada.

"The thinnest have the best chance of fooling Father Time," he says.

"Any time the waistline exceeds the chest measurement that person is skating around the edge of his grave," a down town physician, who asked his name to be withheld, said. "There are exceptions but few. An Ada woman comes to my office nearly every day for weight and measurement. She knows she is at the deadline and a few pounds probably will be fatal. Life insurance companies turned her down and told her to reduce her waistline.

"Just to illustrate how important knowing ones weight is, this woman doesn't trust any dime store or hotel lobby scales. She demands something official. She ate everything once and much of it—she doesn't now, because she knows better."

Dr. Cummings advocates firmly the writings of Irving Fisher of Yale, "How to Live."

"The man, 40 to 44 years old who is 50 to 80 pounds overweight has the heaviest mortality, 75 per cent above normal," he says.

"If men of this age are only 25 to 45 pounds overweight, their mortality drops to 40 per cent above standard.

"The best mortality record is made by men 57 to 61 years old who are 15 to 20 pounds underweight and who run 18 per cent below the normal number of deaths. Other ages and weights, both over and under, run in about the same ratio.

"A moderate degree of overweight is well borne before the age of 35. After this age, overweight is associated with an increasingly high death rate, and at middle life it becomes a real menace to health. This is either because of its mere presence as a physical handicap or because of the faulty living habits that are often responsible for its development. A youthful figure as a rule reflects a superior vitality, other things being equal. Some allowance may be made for the type a man is, but not as much as he thinks."

Takes His Own Advice

Dr. Cummings, although corpulent is an ardent believer in "practice what you preach," and keeps himself within the line.

"If I find I have put on even a pound or two more," he says. "I stop eating cereals, deserts and anything at all between meals, instead of making my diet more largely of fruit and green vegetables."

Diet, as he defines it, is an avoidance of alcohol, sugar, fats, milk as a beverage, potatoes, salmon, mackerel, pork, geese, fat meats, nuts, butter, cream, olie oil and water at meals. Excessive drinking at meals is dangerous, he says. Gulping much water distorts the digestive organs.

"Meals should be light and frequen rather than hearty and infrequent," he says.

"Golf Good for Elderly."

Walking, swimming, golf, billiards and hill climbing he prescribes for the middle-aged and elderly. Simple setting-up exercises also come in for his commendation if they are repeated consistently and frequently.

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LAST MINUTE NEWS

Fleet to Put to Sea

By the Associated Press

--NEW YORK, May 17.—The Atlantic fleet which has been at anchor in the Hudson river for the last two weeks put to sea today. Rumors were current in naval circles that additional ships may soon be sent to the Gulf of Mexico to join the Oklahoma and the destroyers now on duty there.

Stores Reduce Prices

By the Associated Press

OMAHA, May 17.—One of the largest department stores today announced a flat reduction of 30 per cent following 20 per cent cuts made by three stores Saturday. A large men's clothing establishment made a 20 per cent reduction today, making five stores which have reduced.

It is true that man is born to trouble—but by exercising his judgment he can sidestep a whole lot of it. Buying HOOD TIRES is one way. —Sterling Motor Supply Co., phone 860. 127 W. 12th st. 5-17-4td

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CHOICE OF ANY SILK WAIST IN OUR HOUSE AT 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT

Choice of any of our $27.50, $30, $32.50, $35, and $37.50 SILK DRESSES, for $20.95

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Crepe de Chine, Peblette and Jersey Silk Shirts in the most exclusive shirting created for the season. Distinctively different, unlike other shirts, our shirts bear the unmistakable stamp of originality in texture and pattern this season.

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Handsome new Oxfords in the season's newest lasts. Smart English Styles in both black and brown, with receding toes and flat forepart and still toe room a-plenty. You will find a noticeable superiority in style, finer materials and better workmanship here than you can get elsewhere at the price.

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Wit Fentem is in Stratford today on business.

Batch Blevins is visiting friends in Ardmore today.

Roy Congdon of Shawnee visited friends here Sunday.

John P. Crawford is in Hugo today on legal business.

Mrs. Fannie Cress of Oklahoma City is here visiting friends.

William Pennigton was a social visitor to Checotah Sunday.

Lowery Harrel has returned from a business trip in Bromide.

Charley Griffin made a business trip to Oklahoma City today.

Reuben M. Roddie is a business visitor to Wewoka today.

C. H. Patterson of Francis spent Sunday here with friends.

Attorney Chas. Orr made a business trip to Holdenville today.

Jack Thomas Davis Jr. of Okmulgee is here visiting his brother Joe I. Davis.

Miss Marguerite Johnson visited relatives at Coalgate Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Pauline and Marie Harris of Francis were visitors in the city Sunday.

Miss Allyene Gordon of Coalgate visited her uncle, J. M. Gordon, here Sunday.

Porter Wall of Roff has accepted a position with the Merchants & Planters bank.

S. M. Shaw is in Okmulgee today on business.

Miss Cora Fox visited relatives in Byng Sunday.

Dr. J. P. Hickman was a business visitor in Tishomingo Saturday.

Misses Peggie and Opal Jones of Francis were here Sunday, the guests of friends.

Miss Laura Stevens from Coalgate was the week end guest of Miss Syoil Harwell.

Fleet Cooper has returned from Oklahoma City where he obtained three new Nash cars.

Miss Jane Derrick, who is teaching school near Francis, spent Sunday with friends here.

F. S. Reed owner of the Reed Stores company was a business visitor to Okmulgee today.

Mrs. W. J. Pitts has returned to her home in Konawa after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Ella Land and son, Val, returned Saturday night from a business trip to Oklahoma City.

Misses Mabel Galloway and Bettie Webb have returned from Seminole where they were teaching in the schools of that city.

Mrs. W. F. Gleen of Wichita Falls, Texas, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Barringer, and her brother, A. M. Bailey.

The McGregor shows passed thru this city this morning en route to Dewar where they are billed for the coming week. This show was in Ada some time ago. Mr. McGregor, its owner, stated that the show would probably come back to Ada this fall.

The many friends of Dr. Ray English will be glad to hear that his health is much better. Dr. English was formerly of this city but now resides in New York. He left this city some time ago for points in the north in quest of regaining his health.

Virgil Lee has accepted a position in the postoffice. Mr. Lee was formerly connected with the Chickasha Express.

R. E. Blanks, Jr., who has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism, is able to be downtown today.

M. M. Harwell, Katy agent, made a business trip to Coalgate today.

E. J. Mallory made a business trip to Madill today.

Miss Caroline Prewette returned home the past week after finishing a successful term as principal of the schooi at Coalton.

The W. E. Harvey agency have received 10 new Ford sedan cars which they will deliver as soon as the road conditions permit.

Guy Orr of Cushing is here visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Orr. Mr. Orr is with the firm of Yates and Galamore, structural contractors.

Willie Lancaster, formerly of this city, but now of Burkburnett, Texas was here Sunday visiting friends. Mr. Lancaster has extensive holding in the Texas oil fields.

District Judge J. W. Bolen left Sunday afternoon for Wewoka where he will hold a week's court. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bolen who will visit friends in that city.

Henry Roland of Folsom is here visiting his brother, Judge Roland. He reports that the recent rains did no damage on Blue river this year and the crops are fine in that section.

Judge Roland left this morning for Hugo where he will attend the federal court that is in session in that city. He will return by way of Pauls Valley and attend district court there.

Word from Grant Irwin this morning at Indianapolis stated that his party was on their way back to Oklahoma with three new Buick cars and that the roads are fine. The party is expected in Ada this week.

D. C. Abney is in Mississippi on business.

Hayden Rucker of Roff is here visiting friends.

Paul Fuller of Cleveland is here visiting relatives.

Dallas Pickens visited with friends in Bromide Sunday.

Charley Walls of Roff was a business visitor here today.

James Norman and Lloyd Chism were Francis visitors Sunday.

Haskell Price has returned from a trip to points in Missouri.

R. E. L. Ford, the missionary, left today for Tupelo where he will spend several days in that vicinity conducting mission meetings.

Mrs. C. V. Gowing, who was called to Goshen, Ind., last week by the serious illness of her mother, writes to her family in Ada that her mother as yet is no better and that her condition is very grave.

It's our intention to clean our racks of every ladies' suit on hand. Not a great many, however a very good selection. Just half price. Our loss is your gain. Pelter's Fashion Shop. 5-17-1td.

Pvt. C. Turner arried in Ada Saturday from Hoboken, N. J. where he received an honorable discharge from the service. Turner was a member of the machine gun company of the 57th Infantry.

Here is the climax. All ladies suits (and there is not a great many are going to be sold at half price. We do not propose to carry over a single one. Come early for a good selection. Ring 64 for further information. Pelter's Fashion Shop. 5-17-1td.

Rev. C. V. Dunn has returned from Calvin where he preached the baccalaureate sermon for the high school of that city. He stated that the class consisted of 12 members and a large audience was present at the services.

Charges Against Three Citizens for Sunday Difficulty

Charges were filed in police court today against Dan Rogers for disturbing the peace and against Henry Rogers and Rance Jones for fighting. There is an additional charge against Jones for carrying a pistol. It is said that the trio became involved in a difficulty Sunday on West Main.

Asks More Time

EL PASO, May 17.—Admission that Mexico is "a troublesome neighbor," and that the world "have a little patience and wait a trifle longer" are contained in a statement to the American government by Senor Alzarado, provisional Minister of finance for the revolution.

House Refuses Report

WASHINGTON, May 17.—By an overwhelming vote the house today refused to adopt conference report of the appropriation bill because of a legislative rider making permanent the wartime passport regulation.

Want Ads

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Wanted girls over sixteen years of age at Glass factory. 5-17-3td

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FOR SALE

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Good five room house, built-in china closets, for $2600. Small cash payment.

Four room house and two lots, $1500.

Three room house and 2 lots $900.

MELTON & LEHR

5-17-2td

Ada Burglars May Be Under Arrest In Holdenville

S. M. Shaw and Virgil Hale of Shaw's Department Store went to Holdenville today to take a look at some prisoners arrested there by Hughes county officers on suspicion of burglary. It is said that when a bunch of negroes were rounded up by the Holdenville laws a suitcase was found in their possession containing goods stolen from Shaw's store a week ago. It was thought that Mr. Hale might possibly identify the negroes suspected of committing the burglary, so he and Mr. Shaw went up to Holdenville today.

Miss Vallie Rosser left Sunday morning for Wewoka where she has accepted a position with the Bell Telephone company of that city.

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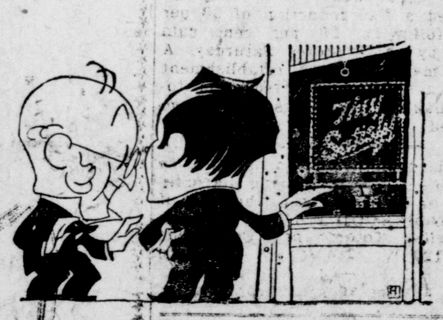
BUT HE'D just heard.
TWO FELLOWS talking.
SOMETHING LIKE this.
"HERE'S THE real cheese.
ON THE kind of butt.
FOR STEADY stuff."
"SPILL IT," said the other.
SO THE first one said.
"IT'S GOT the goods.
AND PEP and all.
JUST TOUCH one off.
AND YOU'LL be living.
THE LIFE of Reilly.
I FELL for it, and gee.
I'M JAKE for keeps.
AND SITTIN' on the world."
AND THE second one said.
"JUST SLIP us one.
FOR THE double-O."
AND THAT was all.
I LAUGHED and pointed.
OUT THE window.
AND THE prof read.
THE ELECTRIC sign
AND HE was on.
THE SIGN just said.
"THEY SATISFY."



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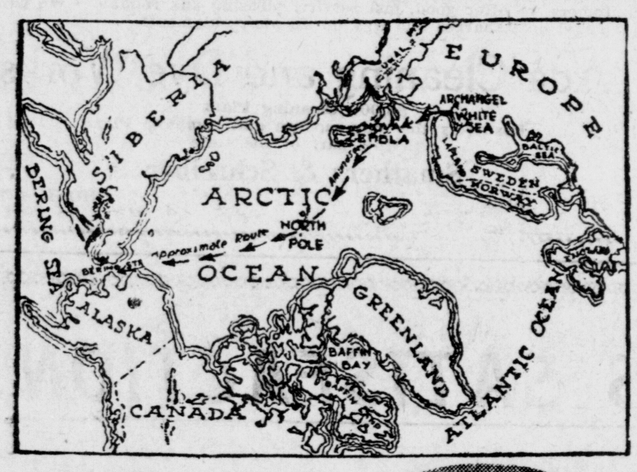
PROMINENT WOMEN ASK WILSON TO RELEASE POLITICAL PRISONERS

Left to right: Mrs. Champ Clark, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. LaFollette

Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the former speaker of the house; Mrs. Elizabeth Glendower Evans and Mrs. Robert M. LaFollette, wife of the senator from Wisconsin, were three of a committee which recently presented to President Wilson a memorial asking him to release all political prisoners, other than those committing overt acts, who were arrested during the world war for expressing their opinions.

NOTED ARCTIC EXPLORER REPORTED SAFE IN SIBERIA AFTER 19 MONTHS' JOURNEY



Roald Amundsen and map showing approximate route followed by him and his party.

The safe arrival at Anadir, Siberia, of Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole and noted explorer, is reported from Nome, Alaska, following the receipt of a wireless message from Anadir. Captain Amundsen was last seen in September, 1918, when his ship, the Maud, took on oil at Dixson Island in the White Sea. It was the explorer's intention to drive the ship as far northward as possible and allow it to become frozen in the ice in the hope that the floes would carry the vessel across the Arctic Sea and near the North Pole. There is some uncertainty as to the exact points reached by Amundsen in Siberia. Anadir is the name of a river, not a town. It is believed that the explorer may have landed on the northern coast of Siberia, making his way overland to a Russian trading post. In the course of his voyage Amundsen covered 3,600 miles. The purpose of the expedition was not to visit the North Pole, but to make scientific investigations. It is considered possible that Amundsen crossed part of the Arctic regions in an airplane with which he was equipped. He was supplied with provisions for seven years.

HEALTHY GROWTH FOR BAPTIST INSTITUTION

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17.—In the 140 educational institutions maintained by Southern Baptists a healthy growth along all lines was reported by J. E. Dillard, acting secretary of the education board, in the first annual report of that body to the Convention today. The physical property of these institutions is valued at $25,000,000 and approximately 20,000 students are enrolled in them.

The board, organized a year ago with headquarters at Birmingham, Ala., is charged with the expenditure of $3,000,000 among the southwide educational institutions. Local institutions are cared for by their states, while the mountain schools are supported by the home mission board.

During the first year, the report says the education board has made a marked beginning in setting up curricula and standards for Baptist institutions, aiding them in raising their standards, safe-guarding the property of these institutions to the denomination, serving as a clearing house on all educational matters for Southern Baptists, inducing well trained young men and women to offer their lives for special Christian service, establishing a teachers' bureau for the aid of the colleges and universities, publishing articles of public interest in behalf of Christian education, co-operating with all general denominational agencies in disseminating a wider education and promoting the developument of rural public schools.

The board has arranged to employ a student secretary to conserve Baptist interests in colleges and universities throughout the South, and is lending its influence toward increasing the attention given to religious instruction in Baptist schools and colleges.

Another effort of the board is directed toward encouraging men of means to make larger contributions to current support and endowment of Christian schools and colleges.

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COLLEGE MEN TO FARM THIS YEAR

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 17—College students will be welcomed on the farms of Oklahoma at harvest time this year. Such is the information being received at the office of the state labor department in answer to its questionnaire.

"There was a time when farmers didn't want students in the harvest fields," W. A. Murphy, assistant labor commissioner, said Thursday. They took great delight in trying to wear out the college men during the first few days.

"But now the farmers are finding the college men superior to hard-boiled I. W. Ws. They find the young men conscientious in their work and capable as they become hardened."

Murphy stated that farmers of the state this year are asking that they be sent no one that is an agitator or that cannot speak English.

With an offer of $6 a day for harvest work it is expected many college men will go to the farms.

FARMERS MAKE GOOD MUSICIANS

The old saying that "music hath charms" seems to still hold true, especially as far as Oklahoma farmers are concerned, if statistics received at the local army recruiting office by Private 1st Class Taylor are to be taken as an indication. Over 25 per cent of the Oklahoma recruits who have recently enlisted for the Twenty-third Infantry have entered the school of music at Camp Travis, having completed their first month of recruit training. They are taking up work in all types of band music from the trombone and cornet to the drum. What the source of this musical inclination of the youthful Oklahoma recruit is, the officers of the regiment are at a loss to know, but as there are several vacancies in the regimental band there is nothing but rejoicing on their part. Hardly any of these Oklahoma recruits had any previous knowledge of music.

Other equally interesting statistics have been received at the local office from this regiment. The Twenty-third Infantry was allocated to this state in February by the war department and its ranks are being rapidly filled with Oklahomans. Over 60 per cent of them were farmers, 15 per cent laborers and oil workers, eight per cent mechanics, eight per cent school students, with the rest divided up among bakers, miners, and other tradesmen.

Taken as a whole various courses in motor mechanics interest the average Oklahoma recruit more than any other work given in the educational and vocational school system of the new peace-time army. The chauffeur's course leads in this branch of work, with motor cycle work, truck driving and auto mechanics closely following. Another group of Oklahoma men have entered the camp grammar school in an effort to complete an education lost or interrupted somewhere in civil life. The motor schools take 30 per cent of the recruits, while the grammar school gets eight per cent.

On young Oklahoman has ambitions in the line of going on the stage, his name being entered on the list for theatrical work. About 35 per cent of the men from this state who are now with the Twenty-third Infantry have as yet entered no school at Camp Travis, waiting until the fall session, when they will for the most part enter the school of business or take up such trades as carpentering, plumbing and painting. Some of the musical Oklahoma farmer-soldiers are expected to divide a little of their school time between the music course and the new course in landscape gardening, which in these days of city beautification offers many opportunities.

All the Oklahomans who have enlisted for the Twenty-third Infantry are three year men, and Private Taylor expects equally interesting figures concerning the one year men from this state who have gone into the Second Engineers or the Fifteenth Field Artillery.

CAPITAL CITY OPENS FIGHT ON CLOSED SHOP

By News Special Service.

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 15.—A fight to establish the open shop in Oklahoma City was begun by an unanimous vote of the members of the Chamber of Commerce attending the membership banquet at the chamber last night. The immediate formation of an association to wage the war on discriminating union shops was decided upon and 234 members pledged their support.

The action followed addresses by leaders of the movement to establish the open shop policy in the southwest.

"Operate your own business and stand for your own principles. Tulsa has put it across to the benefit of the city." John H. Miller, manager of the Tulsa Open Shop association, urged during the opening address before the meeting last night in an exposition of the movement in that city.

Union Labor Called Traitorous

A bitter denunciation of the policy of the unions in shutting out non-union labor as "un-American" and responsible for the decreased production and high cost of living was made by Miller.

"Organized labor has run its bluff and proved itself to be the worst of traitors in taking advantage of the war," he asserted and continued that "there ought to be a heavy sentence provided for the walking delegates of the unions which seek to spread the policies of discrimination.

"Get organized and go after them for you can't argue with them any more than you can with a socialist. What we want is an open shop in which men of the same craft, whether union or not, can work side by side.

"Playing politics to the labor unions is a thing of the past. They can't run your business and it is time to call upon every candidate for his labor views, and don't vote for them if they are bowing to labor."

Tulsa Elects Open Shop Men.

Miller said in the recent elections at Tulsa, that all of the candidates were erected who opposed the closed shop.

Judge W. B. Smith of Little Rock, Ark., who lead the open shop fight there, continued the theme and said in Little Rock the building and construction work of the city increased after the open shop had been established and during the campaign.

'You can operate successfully under the plan," he said, and there are plenty of skilled non-union workers to carry on your construction.

"The one way to prevent labor from running the government is to defeat the closed shop, for the nomination of labor is threatening America and the future lies in the hands of the business men."

Movement Spreads, Thompson Says

The policy of the unions in alleged shutting out the deserving men and forcing unskilled labor at skilled wages was discussed by F. O. Thompson of Dallas, general manager of the Southwest Open Shop association.

Thompson said the movement gradually is spreading over the entire country and that within a short time it will invade the eastern cities, sounding the death knell of union labor.

The fight will be the strongest yet waged against closed shop policies, he said, but can be accomplished by cooperative action.

Normal Conditions Expected Soon

The possible results which may come from the fight in Oklahoma City were considered, but at the same time it was said that the policy has been adopted in other cities with only a few weeks of intensive campaigning and normal conditions always have resulted.

The committee appointed by the chamber will take immediate steps toward the formation of the association. The comitt is composed of Rev. I. Frank Rosch, C. E. Bentley, Henry G. Snyder, R. A. Vose and Walter M. Harrison. W. G. Bishop, assistant manager of the chamber, is expected to act as manager of the movement.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST SHOW LARGE GROWTH

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, May 17.—During 1919, Southern Baptists, with 500 churches not reporting, contributed to all church purposes at home and abroad $21,250,000, according to the annual statistical report to the Southern Baptist Convention, made by Dr. Hight C. Moore of Nashville, Tenn., one of the secretaries of the convention and acting statistician. The contributions to home causes reached $14,000,000 while those to budget benevolences were in excess of $5,000,000.

During that year there was a gain of 9,218 baptisms, while other advances for that period, the report sets forth, include a gain of 38 Sunday schools, 76,729 in Sunday school enrollment, $4,299,636 in the value of local church property, $1,055,356 in contributions to home purposes. $2,530,339 to budget benevolences and $3,474,517 in aggregate contributions to all purposes.

Reports for the year were received from 25,117 churches with a combined membership of 2,296,091. The value of the local church property of these congregations is in excess of $75,000,000, while the value of school property owned by Southern Baptists is $25,000,000.

PROHIBITION HELPS THEATRICAL BUSINESS

By News' Special Service

CLEVELAND O., May 17.—The theatrical business has increased 50 percent since the country went "dry", according to John Cort of New York, one of the country's leading producers, on a recent visit to Cleveland. He declared the dry era staed off a disastrous period for the theatrical world

"Prohibition and the legitimate stage are good friends, and why not?" Mr Cort said. "The dry era has meant millions in the theaters' coffers and just stved off a disastrous period."

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WHAT BAPTISTS DO FOR AGED MINSTERS

From Saturday's Daily

WASHINGTON, May 17.—What Southern Baptists are doing in providing relief for their aged ministers and their families and establishing an annuity for ministers after they reach the age of 68 was set forth in the annual report of the Relief and Annuity Board, as presented to the Southern Baptist Convention today by Dr. William Lunsford of Dallas, corresponding secretary.

From the recent $75,000,000 campaign, $2,500,000 was apportioned to this board and a movement will be launched to raise the sum to $7,500,000. The maximum annuity will be $500 a year for those who have been engaged in active denominational work for as long as 30 years, prior to reaching the age of 68. Where the pastor or other worker has been serving the denomination for a lesser period than 30 years, the annuity will be reduced according to a regular scale.

In the event of the disablement of a minister prior to reaching the age of 68, the annuity become immediately available and in the case of his death his widow or orphan and dependent children will receive 60 percent of the annuity which the husband and father would have received. The annuity received by members is in addition to the relief funds that are given them in case of need.

There are 10,000 Baptist ministers in the south.

George Stallings.

By NORMAN E. BROWN.

According to word from New York, baseball scribes soon will write a chapter in baseball history under the caption, "The Passing of the Miracle Man.' For said word is to the effect that George Stallings, manager of the Boston Braves has announced his decision to retire from baseball at the end of the year.

Stallings earned the title of Miracle Man when he led the Braves to the National league pennant in 1914 and then won the world's series by licking Connie Macks famous team in four straight games. The Braves were in last place in July that season when Stallings started them on their famous spurt which carried them through the league to the top.

Stallings has been prominent as a manager of major and minor league teams for the last twenty-five years. He was born in Augusta, Ga., in 1869. He graduated from the Virginia Military Institute in 1886 and then went to Baltimore to study medicine for the diamond. Harry Wright, then manager of the Phillies, signed him and sent him to Toronto for seasoning. He went from Toronto then in the Eastern league to Galveston in the Texas league. In 1888 he played with Stockton, Cal. He played with Oakland the following year and then he made a short trip to Brooklyn, going back to San Jose, Cal., the next season, 1891. He remained there in 1892 and then returned to Augusta to play with the team there. He played with Nashville in 1894 until the club blew up. He then joined the Kansas City club: The next year he broke into the managerial game and led the Nashville Southern league team to a pennant. The next season he was signed to pilot Detroit. The Phillies grabbed him for manager in 1897. He stayed there two seasons and then went back to Detroit for three years. Then followed five years with the Buffalo club, during which time he won one pennant. A year's layoff and then Newark signed him in 1908. His work there earned his a New York Yankee contract. Trouble in the club caused Stallings to leave and back to Buffalo he went—until the Brave owners signed him as manager at the close of the 1912 campaign. He succeeded Johnny Kling

As a catcher Stallings never was a star, but was a hard worker and a student of the game.

Much Cotton Must Be Replanted Because Of Too Much Rain

Rains have interfered materially with farming operations in this section of the state in the past week, and cotton planting has come to a standstill.

It is estimated that over half the crop has been planted in the county to date, but the chances are that a lot of the acreage will have to be replanted on account of the excessive rains that have destroyed the seed already in the ground.

J. B. Hill, county farm agent, today estimated that 75 per cent of the crop had been planted but issue is taken with him by others who maintain that 50 per cent would cover the actual acreage now in seed.

The rains have been a good thing for grains, and the corn crop, but are very discouraging to the cotton farmer, with the prospect staring him in the face of doing what work he has done all over again, and with an alarming shortage of cotton seed in the country.

However. Mr. Hill says that things under such conditions always look worse than they really are, and he predicts that a few days warm sunshine will show the farmer that most of his fears are groundless.

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Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Acme dress form, good as new. Cheap. See Mrs. L. R. Clark. 5-11-tf

FOR SALE—Registered Poland China Sow and Pigs. See W. H. White, 518 West 17th. St. 5-14-4td*

FOOR SALE—Two good singer Sewing machines at a bargain. Phone 476. 5-5-dtf.

FOR SALE — Six room bungalow, modern. See owner, 605 W. 8th. 5-14-3t*

MILK COWS—I have 6 Jersey milk cows and calves for sale or trade. —A. M. Crow,, 321 W. 15th. 5-14-4t*

FOR SALE:One full blood Jersey Calf, male, two weeks old, See C. J. Caruth at Yeargan Barber shop, or call 682. 5-15-2td*

FOR SALE—Cheap good half-ton delivery truck in good condition. Only been used a short while. Call J. A. Cowling at Cowling & Carpenter 5-7-tf

FOR SALE—Two or three desirable residence lots on East Ninth street in the ten hundred block. Cash or part cash and terms. Address M. B. L., care News. 5-12-6td*

FOR SALE—1918 model Cadillac Car, seven passenger, in first class condition. This is a bargain for any one wanting a real automobile. Can be seen at Fred Ford's Garage 5-12-tf

FOR SALE—My new 5 room modern home located at 906 east 13th St. Am leaving the city and will sell this place for $4000.00. Open for inspection. Mrs. Dessa Meadows. 5-15-3t*

FOR SALE

One five room dwelling on East 10th Street, lot 75x140 feet.

One five room bungalow on East 9th Street, two blocks north of the Normal. Lot 50x140 feet.

Both of these buildings are in very desirable locations.

For price and terms see,
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Cor 12th St. and Townsend Ave.
Odd Fellow Building.
5-6-tf

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6 room frame, newly papered, 100 foot front, very good location, price $2250.00, on easy terms.

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SOME GOOD RARMS FOR SALE

Three good farms for sale in Seminole County at $40.00 per acre, $45.00 and $50.00.

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When in need of a service car call C. C. Lee at Phone 102. 5-17-6td

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Want Ads

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room house 219 West 4th. Call after six. 5-14-3td*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 231 E. 14th. Phone 972 5-7-12td

FOR RENT—One large modern furnished housekeeping room. Private home, 208 East 14th st. 5-15-tfd

FOR RENT—Front bedroom furnished. Call Mrs. Riddle, phone 358, before 8 A. M., or after 6 P. M. 5-14-3td*

FOR RENT—Several newly furnished rooms, bed rooms for ladies or gentlemen. Brick building 117 South Townsend. Phone 1028. 5-13-6t*

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WANTED

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Miller Bros. 2-2-tf.

WANTED—A dishwasher. 216 East 12th st. Phone 217. 5-10-tf

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. Prefer men and boys. Apply at 719 West Main. 5-14-6t*

WANTED—We want to buy new and second hand furniture and stoves.—Conaly & Son, phone 53. 4-14-tf

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over. 400 East 12th. Phone 170.—E. A. Smith. 5-1-tf

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WANTED—To trade rain coats with fellow who got mine last Saturday at Hobbs. B. S Baldwine, Reed Stores. 5-15-6t.

WANTED—We pay more for second hand furniture and stoves. Phone 234 before you sell.—Monroe & Nickell Furniture Co. 10-23-tf

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WANTED TO RENT—4 to 7 room house by June 1st. Address Box 279 or phone 418. 5-8-tf.

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Automobile License.

Capt. Sam H. Hargis calls attention to the following section of the automobile law of Oklahoma. Captain Hargis is the enforcement officer for this law and he asks that everybody read this and abide by it or suffer the consequences:

"* * * and it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to buy, sell or dispose of or have in his possession for sale, use or storage any second-hand or used automobile, tractor, motorcycle or other motor driven vehicle on which the registration or license fee has not been paid, as required by law, and on which vehicle said person, firm or corporation neglects, fails or refuses to display at all times, the identification and number plate or metal tag bearing the distinctive number assigned to such motor driven vehicle for the current year, by the state highway department, or neglects or refuses to produce when called upon to do so, by any peace officer of the state or any officer of the state highway department the certificate of registration corresponding with the metal tag and factory or motor number of such motor driven vehicle as registered in the state department of said calendar year."

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Real Estate Transfers

(Furnished by Home Title Guaranty Co., Inc.,)

May 14, 1920.

Betsey Illetewahke to Date Crawford, April 29, 1920, $2500.00; Lot 2 and N2 SW NE and NW SE NE Sec. 4, Twp. 1 N. R. 6 E., and NE SE and NE SE SE Sec. 2 N. R. 6 E. and W2 E2 SW Sec. 34, Twp. 3 N. R. 4 E.

John T. Orr to R. W. Simpson, April 28, 1920; $5500.00; Lots 8 and 9, Block 90, Ada, Okla.

G. W. Smith et ux to Everett Smith et al., May 14, 1920; $150.00; Lots 17 and 18, Block 8, Portland Park Addition to Ada, Okla.

Eliza M. Kennedy to G. K. Patterson, May 14, 1920; $4500.00; W2 SE Sec. 24, Twp. 2 N. R. 5 E.

Bob Duncan, sheriff, to Bessie Lucas, May 14, 1920; $300.00; W2 SW SW NE Sec. 4, Twp. 3 N. R. 6 E.

May 15th, 1920

R. E. Pitts et ux to J. L. Adair et ux; May 8, 1920; $4,000.00; Lots 9 and 10, Block 9 Normal Heights Addition to Ada, Okla.

R. L. Beene et ix to H. P. Sugg; May 12, 1920; $600.00; Lots 3 and 4 Block 11 Chickasaw Addition to Ada, Okla.

K. C. Parks et ux to Emma Vilmer; May 4, 1920; $1500.00; Lot 13 Block 114 Ada, Okla.

Emma Vilmer to Rex Reed; May 14, 1920; $2000.00, Lot 13, Block 114, Ada, Okla.

BAPTIST WOMEN RAISE LARGE SUM

By News' Special Service

WASHINGTON, May 17.—While the Baptist women of the South were asked for only $15,000,000 or one fifth of the total sum sought in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, they responded with subscriptions of $21,834,000 according to the annual report of the activities of the Woman's Missionary Union made to the Southern Baptist Convention today by Miss Kathleen Mallory of Baltimore, corresponding secretary.

During the campaign 2,300 girls and young women volunteered to give their whole time to special Christian service, 1,000 new missionary societies among the women and young people were organized, 8,400,000 pages of tracts and other literature were distributed in behalf of the campaign and 75,000 letters were sent out and over 3[illegible] miles were traveled in the interest of the drive by two of the Women's Missionary Union workers.

A total of 3,200 new organizations were formed by Baptist women during the last year and over 3,400 mission study classes were conducted.

Fancy sewing and dress making, Mrs. Chas. N. Auld. 301 East 13 St. 2-11-tf

LOUISIANA HAS BEEN GIVEN MUCH ACREAGE

By the Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS, May 17.—If the legilsature passes a bill of acceptanct, Louisiana will have acquired a veritable Empire of the Wild, stretching along the Gulf of Mexico for a distance of 75 miles and comprising anarea of 500 square miles.

The bill of acceptance is only a formality and the state conservation department already has begun to outline the work necessary to keep the tract safe for the creatures of the wild.

The property consists of Marsh Island with 78,000 acres of land purchased by Mrs. Russell Sage and given to the state as a game refuge and a tract of 85,000 acres in Vermillion and Cameron parishes on the coast given by the Rockefeller Foundation. Adjoining Marsh Island is the present game farm on land belonging to the McIlhenny interests of 60,000 acres. Lying between the game farm and the Rockefeller tract is what is known as the Grand Chenier tract of 85,000 acres which the state expects to acquire in the near future.

This will give Louisiana what is believed to be the greatest wild life refuge in the world. The great domain is patrolled by agents of the conservation commission and on it sorts of game as protected and propogated.

Edward A. McIlhennty, wealthy salt mine owner, has given great tracts of land as well as large sums of money to aid in the work.

If you want, what you want when you want it, an ad in our want column will get it for you.

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They were good clocks, too, and are still ticking off the hours in many a Connecticut farm-house.

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Ada Lodge No. 146, I. O. O. F.
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H. C. EVANS, Secretary

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Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.
R. H. GLADWILL, W. M.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.
Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.
D. W. SWAFFAR, H. P.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

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Ada Commandery No. 16 Knight Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each mouth.
M. F. MANVILLE, E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

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Ada Camp No. 568 meets every Tuesday night, I. O. O. F. Hall, 7:00 o'clock.
HUGH BENNETT, C. C.
C. E. CUNNING, Clerk.

B. P. O. E.
Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.
H. CLAUD PITT, Sec'y.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Offices

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TAL. CRAWFORD

For County Assessor:
NICK HEARD.

FOR COUNTY CLERK;
JESSIE ROGERS.
JOSEPH ANDERSON.
JOHN FLOWERS

FOR COURT CLERK
LUTHER FRANKLIN

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
D. W. SWAFFAR

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
WAYNE WADLINGTON.
(Second term.)

FOR SHERIFF
BOB DUNCAN.
BARNEY SELFRIDGE.
JOHN RAWLS.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.
A. FLOYD.
(Re-election.)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
1st District
H. CLAY STEPHENS.
JOHN EDWARDS.
EDGAR HUTCHINSON

FOR COUNTY WEIGHER:
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(Second Term.)

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Cotton Market

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The Senate today passed the McCormick resolution calling on the Federal Reserve Board to furnish information as to what steps it proposes to take to meet the inflation of currency and credit and subsequent high prices Also what measures it will take to mobilize credits in order to move the 1920 crops.

Chicago Tribune says—"The grain trade in the last three months have been in an entirely different condition from that of any previous time. Prices for all grains have advanced to th highest of the season nd for oats to the best level ever known, while corn and rye have never sold higher, except in 19117 when cash corn sold at $2.36 and rye at $2.95, the latter in February, and the former in Augues. At present all look high enough and sharp fluctuations are to be expected. Conditions have been governed largely by the box car situation on both eastern and western roads. The railroad strike also has been a big factor. Indications are for a turn for the better. The federal R. R. labor board meets in Chicago this week to hear the railroad side of the labor situation, after having listened to that of the workers recently in Washington. The rank and file of the speculative trade have been so radically wrong in market views and operations in the last three months that they are afraid to change and all are living in expectation of a big break almost any day. They have talked that way for three months with poor success. Some day they will be right.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 17.—Weather and crop accounts continue very unfavorable. Further excessive rains over the greater portion of the west half of the belt oer Sunday occasioned market to adance sharply this morning, but port of the early improvement was lost as result of realizing by longs and because of short selling by some operators on the theory that the government drive for deflating in commodity prices will work against a further advance in the value of the raw material. Washington adices that a test of sentiment as to the policies of the Federal Reesrve Boards is in prospect this week. More than fifty representative bankers of the country are to confer Monday and Tuesday on the strained condition of the money market and the best methods to pursue in bringing about an ordinary deflating. The question of restrictive credit for non-essentials to halt the wave of extravagance will be thoroughly discussed. In this respect raw cotton is an essential, so much so that there is the possibility, if not probability of not producing enouvh American cotton this year for next seasons requirements. So ar as cotton is concerned, prospects or the next crop will govern the future course o values, and the outlook at the moment is very unfavorable. While the talk of deation in prices is circuating it applies mainly to the fanuactured product in which the drive against profiteering is centered. A lowering of the prices or mill production can be the only result in favor of increase in the buying power of the fasses, especially with wages continuing to advance in many lines of trade, with prospects of two milion railroad men sharing in the higher pay. Press reports frof New York says there will be serious shortage of feed next fall and even higher prices than those which now prevail as a result of nation wide shortage of farm labor, small acreage and backward seasons. Returns indicate that the labor shortage will probably becoe even worse as harvest tie approaches. The above conditions apply to cotton as well as to food and for this reason, we favor buying still, particularly on important depressions.
H. & B. Beer.

Daily Report 1:15 P. M., May 17th, 1920.

COTTON

New York		
May closed	41	40
July closed	38	38
Oct. closed	36	36
New Orleans		
May closed	39	39
July closed	38	38
Oct. closed	36	35

WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO ABOUT IT?

Do you know that 1,000 Normal students mean nearly as much to our city as the biggest payroll here? They spend at the rate of over a quarter of a million dollars per year.

The Normal was gotten for our city years ago by hard working men interested in building a city out of Ada. Men with public spirit are today making Ada what every citizen here wishes it to be.

Here is a chance for others who usually do not have a chance directly to help build cities. People who will sacrifice a little of their own comfort this summer to provide rooms or board or both for the many students who will plan to come here. This is not the easiest job in the world—yet it seems all important now to our city.

Durant, Oklahoma, failed to supply comfortable abode for their Normal students, so consequently they must live in tents this year. Haven't we public spirit enough to provide differently? Certainly we have—and we're going to do something about it. Talk it over tonight, just how many students you will accomodate, and wait for further announcements.

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In a Good Selection for This Week
At 25% Reduction

There are Taffetas and Satin and Georgette combinations in Tunics, draped, pleated and ruffled styles with round and square necks. Some have collars of fancy laces; others of organdy. These dainty frocks are smartened with touches of yarn embroidery in contrasting colors or otherwise attractively trimmed. Colors include browns, taupe, copen, navy and black. Early shoppers will choose from largest showings.

Two Groups of Pretty Blouses
At Worthwhile Reductions

Georgette Blouses—Special $7.95

Appealing blouses of good quality Georgette Crepe with short sleeves and round necks; self and button trimmed; others are trimmed with beading and embroidery.

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Opening Game of Ada Ball Team To Be Played Sunday

Next Sunday at the local fair grounds the opening game of baseball for the 1920 season will be played. The games heretofore have been practise games and while full of pep they have not been a fair sample of what the local men can do. The Ada men have played three games thus far this year winning all of them.

The opening game next Sunday will be with the team from Allen. Allen has one of the strongest teams in Oklahoma, having several ex-professional men with them and to win from them Ada will have to put up a game of ball better than they have had heretofore this season. It is expected that all the players engaged for the season will be here for the game next Sunday. Daily practice is being held and the lineup will be announced in a few days.

Dr. Patterson Spoke To Large Audience At Presbyterian Church

Another splendid service was held at the Presbyterian church last night. The sermon was preached by Dr. N. P. Patterson of Dallas, Texas, who delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of East Central yesterday morning.

The Presbyterian church building last night would not begin to hol the crowd that appeared there for worship. Chairs were borrowed from the Baptist church and the Sunday school room was thrown open and still the church as overfilled.

The sermon by Dr. Patterson was a masterful effort and greatly appreciated. It is the hope of those who heard Dr. Patterson that he will visit and preach in Ada again soon.

Justice Fines Man On Pistol Carrying Charge This Morning

Rance Jones was arraigned in Justice Brown's court this morning charged with drunkeness and carrying a pistol. He plead not guilty to the drunkeness charge and will have a trial at a latter date. On the pistol charge he plead guilty and was assessed $34.50.

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Oklahoma Weather.

Fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer Tuesday.

Teacher Training Class.

The Teacher Training class will meet in the Christian church this evening at 8 o'clock. The class will study "The Beginner; Characteristics and Equipment." All the members should be present. We are now on the home stretch in the first year's work. The last section is being studied. The lessons to follow the one to be studied this evening are, "The Primary Pupil; his needs and how to meet them." "The Junior pupil; his needs and how to meet them," "The Intermediate pupil; his needs and how to meet them;" "The senior pupil; his needs and how to meet them;" "Adult pupils; their needs and how to meet them," and "A Chart Study." Anyone interested in studying these Sunday school problems is cordially welcome.—C. V. Dunn, Minister.

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Owen Burnett and Miss Franklin were married at the courthouse in Ada Sunday morning by Justice Brown. Both the contracting parties live in Ada.

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